Special Opera Bargain Packs Metropolitan

By Sylvester Rawling.

W strange the Metropolitan Opera House audience looked last night! There was a spegais performance outside the on, ominous of the near-end of the season, with a bargain counter ring of most of the principal to in excerpts from four popular The attraction crowded the to capacity, while hundreds ere turned away. A remarkably atative and receptive audience it was,

eary rate, the International Burgical WOMAN COULD association, now in conference here, was well represented, for three hundred seats were purchased for the members when the performance was first announced, and many more were hout subsequently. The Opera Club entended its courtesies to them and hetween the acts what a cackling of voices and wideopened smoking of cigarettee by the ladies there was in the club rooms! A gala occasion, truly.

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The first act of Verdi's "La Traviata," with Frieda Hempel, Jeanne Maubourg, Itala Cristalli, Bada, Reschigilan and Begue, Mr. Polacco conducting, was presented first. Then followed the second act of Puccin's "Madama Butterfly," with Geraldine Farrar, Rita Farnia, Scottl, Bada and Audislo, Mr. Toscanini conducting, Next came the first act of Wagner's "Lohengrin," with Johanna Gadski, Louise Homer, Kari Jorn, Hermann Weit, Herbert Witherspoon and Carl Schiegel, Mr. Hertz conducting, Finally there was the first act of Puchally there was the first act of Puchally there was the first act of Puchally "La Boheme," with Frances da, Caruso, Dinh Gilly, de Segarola, deCorsi and Anaman, Mr. Polacco ducting. All were sung weil and led with spirit. The curtain calls ere many and hearty, Miss Farrar getting two or three for herself.

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Rarely has the garret scene in "La Boheme" been done so effectively. Caruso, bubbling over with fun, seemed to infect his associates, who drove him to his trumps to beat them. He sang the narrative superbly, evoking applause that delayed the action. Mme, Alda, too, sang her aria and her part in the duet admirably. The performance was long, but everybody stayed until the end.

Marie Altona gave a song recital at Marie Altona gave a song recital at the leged me and I am in the best of health at present. I work in a factory all day

Marie Altona gave a song recital at Acolian Hall yesterday afternoon that Dieased a friendly audience. She was accompanied at the plane by Harold Osborne Smith. Miss Altona's pro-gramme included Bach's "Bist du bei Mir," Gluck's "Divinities du Styx" Gluck's "Divinities du Styx" and H. Clough-Leighter.

JANE EST SELF-CONVICTED. 1. W. W. Woman Screams in Court as She Did in Church.

Jane Est, the I. W. W. firebrand, was arraigned before Magistrate Campbell last night in Women's Night Court charged with creating a disturbance last Sunday morning in Dr. Parkhurst's

church.

Seyeral witnesses told how she had acreamed during the services and had been ejected. Then she testified in her own defense. Grabbing a Bible from the Magistrate's desk she proceded to scream about as she did in church. She said an impulse prompted her to tell Dr. Parkhurst what she thought of him.

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